

## Mothers Who Reported Dieting the 12 Months Before Pregnancy<sup>1</sup>

### Illinois PRAMS 2012

	Percentage <sup>2</sup>	95% Confidence Interval	Respondents <sup>3</sup>	Estimated Population Affected <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	26.8	24.1-29.8	293	40,552
<b>Maternal Age</b>				
<20 yrs	16.7	8.8-29.4	13	1,860
20 to 24 yrs	25.9	19.6-33.5	46	7,472
25 to 29 yrs	26.1	20.8-32.2	77	10,307
30 to 34 yrs	27.7	22.9-33.0	95	12,667
>35 yrs	31.8	25.3-39.2	62	8,246
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>				
NH White	29.8	26.0-33.9	175	24,293
NH Black	26.2	18.2-36.1	32	5,969
Hispanic	23.7	18.7-29.5	67	8,412
Other	15.6	9.2-25.2	18	1,690
<b>Education</b>				
<12 yrs	22.2	15.9-30.2	33	5,532
12 yrs	20.1	14.6-27.0	40	6,068
>12 yrs	29.8	26.3-33.6	214	28,042
<b>Birthweight</b>				
LBW	24.8	19.6-30.7	63	2,621
NBW	27.0	24.0-30.2	230	37,930
<b>Marital Status</b>				
Married	29.3	25.8-33.0	199	26,831
Other	23.1	18.7-28.2	94	13,720
<b>Medicaid Recipient<sup>*</sup></b>				
Non-Medicaid	30.9	27.0-35.2	171	22,495
Medicaid	23.1	19.3-27.4	122	18,056

<sup>1</sup>**Survey Question 7:** At any time during the 12 months before you got pregnant with your new baby, did you do any of the following things? A. I was dieting (changing my eating habits) to lose weight.

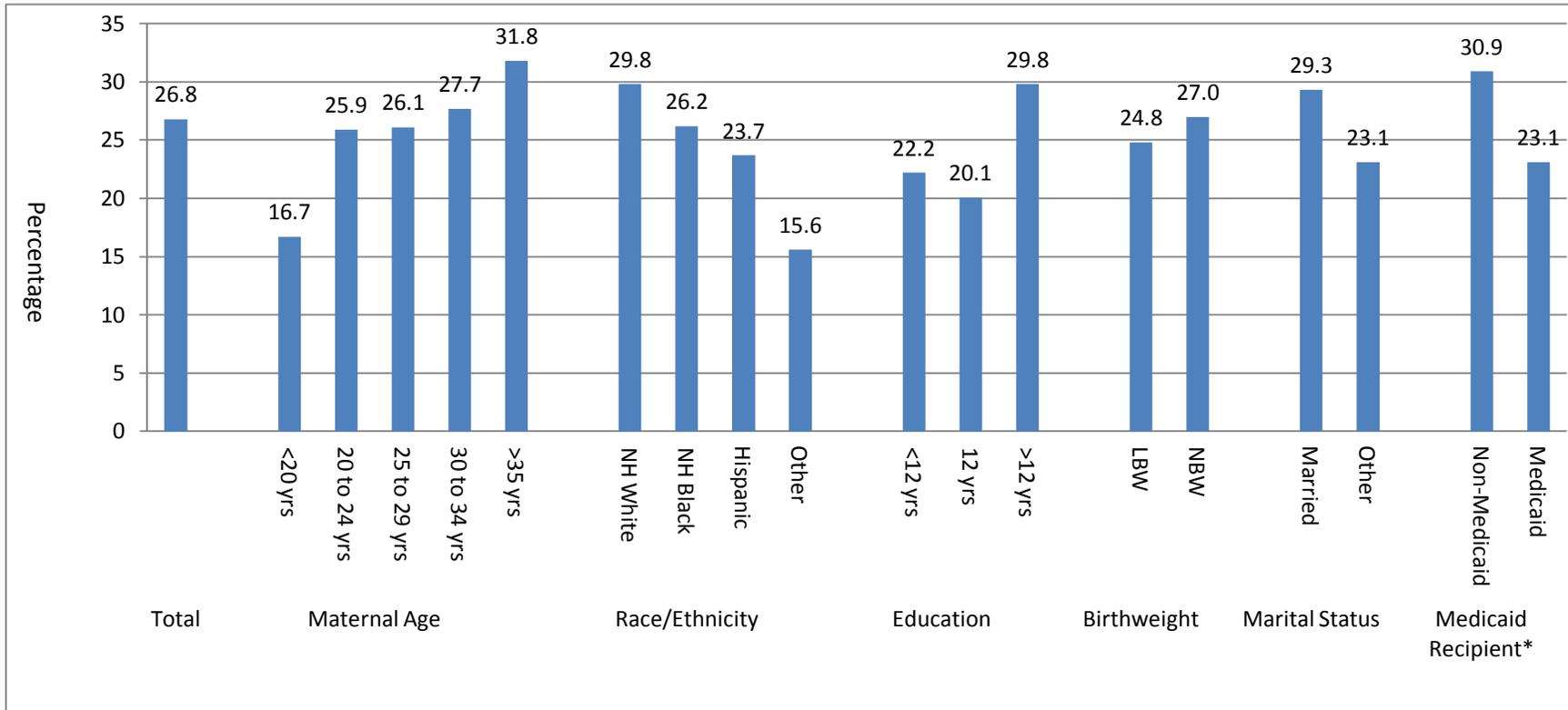
<sup>2</sup>**Percentage** = Weighted percentage of Illinois mothers giving birth in 2012 with the specified indicator for each characteristic.

<sup>3</sup>**Respondents (N)** = Total number of mothers who responded to this question with Yes; total N = 1075 (Yes or No); Total N value for each characteristic varies due to unanswered questions, survey skip patterns, and invalid responses.

<sup>4</sup>**Estimated population affected** = Estimated number of Illinois mothers giving birth in 2012 with the specified indicator for each characteristic

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